

## Message Text

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FM AMEMBASSY GUATEMALA  
TO AMEMBASSY BUENOS AIRES  
INFO SECSTATE WASHDC 3160

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FOR THE AMBASSADOR ONLY FROM ASSISTANT SECRETARY SHLAUDEMAN;

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EO 11652: XGDS-2

TAGS: PFOR, EAID, SHUM, IDB, PORT, US, AR

REF: BUENOS AIRES 6017, STATE 227379

1. I GAVE CAREFUL CONSIDERATION TO YOUR RECOMMENDATION THAT THE  
USG VOTE AGAINST THE IDB LOAN TO ARGENTINA AND BROUGHT IT, ALONG  
WITH THE MEMORANDUM YOU LEFT, TO THE ATTENTION OF THE ACTING  
SECRETARY AT THE TIME HE APPROVED YOUR INSTRUCTIONS (REF B).

2. THE MEMORANDUM DID NOT GO TO THE SECRETARY BEFORE HIS DEPARTURE.  
IT WAS MY JUDGMENT, BASED IN LARGE PART ON THE REPORTING FROM  
YOUR EMBASSY (AND INTERESTINGLY SUBSTANTIATED BY A RECENT OMANG  
ARTICLE IN THE WASHINGTON POST), THAT THERE WERE NO NEW FACTORS  
REQUIRING A RECONSIDERATION OF THE DECISION THE SECRETARY HAD  
ALREADY MADE. THE ARGUMENTS FOR A NEGATIVE VOTE HAD PREVIOUSLY BEEN  
SET FORTH AND, IN MY VIEW, ADEQUATELY COVERED THE POINTS IN  
YOUR MEMORANDUM.

3. I NOTE YOUR REPORT THAT THE GOA MAY BE GETTING THE MESSAGE.  
IT SEEMS TO ME THAT THERE CAN NOW BE LITTLE POSSIBILITY OF MISUN-

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DERSTANDING IN THAT QUARTER. AN AFFIRMATIVE VOTE, ACCOMPANIED

BY THE REPRESENTATIONS WE HAVE PREPARED IN ACCORDANCE WITH  
THE SECRETARY'S DECISION, SHOULD SERVE BOTH THE INTENT OF THE  
LA AND THE POLICY OBJECTIVES YOU AND I SHARE.  
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